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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	lbs./loads	Avg	Change Prv/wk
<b>Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3</b>					
113C	Chuck, Semi-bnls, neck/off		268,324	264.57	-11.49
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80 Lbs			--
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25 Lbs	1,553,845	322.48	-3.03
120	Brisket	6-14 Lbs	653,152	306.21	-3.46
123A	Short Rib	1-4 Lbs	59,905	522.21	-19.62
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85 Lbs	12,799	286.06	-8.32
161	Round, Bnls	42-80 Lbs	13,211	301.12	0.55
168	Inside Round	14-26 Lbs	470,410	267.13	-4.72
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33 Lbs	266,793	282.54	-1.51
	Blended Coarse ground 81%		467,852	264.49	0.41
	Blended Coarse ground 85%				--

**Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items**

Boneless Chuck 85%		89,523	287.17	-3.66
Top Inside Round (168)	10-up Lbs	82,863	304.39	-2.51

**Boneless Processing Beef/  
Beef Trimmmings, Fresh**

90% Chemical Lean		2,398,560	296.48	1.14
50% Chemical Lean		2,939,658	117.83	6.85

**Pork - FOB Plant**

	Kilo Lbs			
1/4" Trimmed Loin VAC	2,043	143.75	-13.47	
1/4" Trim Butt VAC	5,870	139.19	-7.58	
Trmd Spareribs - LGT	1,609	166.24	1.46	

Trmd Selected Ham	17-20 Lbs	225	140.34	-3.31
Trmd Selected Ham	20-23 Lbs	798	104.17	-26.35

Skin-on Belly	14-16 Lbs	105	110.36	3.70
Skin-on Belly	16-18 Lbs	24	102.34	-18.43
Picnic Meat Combo Cushion Out		1,253	107.72	-16.70
72% Trim Combo		3,427	94.71	-13.64

**Fruit & Vegetable Market News  
Washington, DC – (202)720-2745**

**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFancy, cartons tray pack, 100s,	17.00
Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	
Pears, Bartlett U.S. One, 4/5 bushel cartons wrapped, 100s,	23.00
Yakima Valley and Wenatchee District, Washington	
Grapes, 19 pound containers bagged, Crimson Seedless, large,	17.95
Kern District, California	
Strawberries, 8-1 pound containers with lids, medium-large,	13.00
Salinas-Watsonville, California	
Oranges, 7/10 bushel cartons, Valencia, 88s, Shippers first grade,	17.85
South and Central District California	
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seedless Type, 24 inch bins per pound, 45 count,	.27
Mexico Crossings through Nogales, Arizona	

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Cartons, Bunched 14s, Salinas-Watsonville, California	8.03
Carrots, Sacks, 48 1-lb film bags, medium-large, Kern District, California	12.95
Celery, cartons, 2 1/2 dozen, Salinas-Watsonville California	8.46
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24s, cartons film lined, Salinas-Watsonville California	19.06
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 1 1/9 bushel cartons, large, South Georgia	10.60
Tomatoes, 25 pound cartons loose, Mature Greens 85% U.S. One or Better,	22.95
large, West District Florida	
Onions, Yellow Spanish Hybrid, 50 pound sacks, Jumbo,	6.00
Idaho and Malheur County Oregon	
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50 pound cartons, 70s,	9.00
Twin Falls-Burley District & Western Idaho	

*Simple average of week ending prices of stated grades or stock of generally good merchantable quality & condition. Prices f.o.b. shipping point basis. Dollars per unit.*

**National Whole Broiler Fryer – Whole Body**

<b>New York</b> 106.00	<b>Chicago</b> 100.71	<b>Los Angeles</b> 108.23
Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.		

**Broiler/Fryer Parts Bulk - Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, cents/lb.**

	<b>Breast B/S</b>	<b>Leg Quarters</b>
Weekly Weighted Average Price		
Northeast (Delivered)	160.45	46.85
Southern States (f.o.b.)	145.39	38.82

**National Turkeys - Frozen Whole Body Trading, (commodity pack or equivalent; min. 10,000 lb. lots) U.S. Grade A, FOB Shipper Dock basis**

	<b>Wtd Avg (cents/lb.)</b>	<b>Volume (000 lbs.)</b>
<b>8-16 lb. (Hens)</b>	118.18	729
<b>16-24 lb. (Toms)</b>	117.97	140

<sup>1</sup> Based on offers

**Table Eggs - LARGE, sales to volume buyers, white (in cartons), cents/doz.**

<b>Delivered Warehouse (Weekly Average Prices)</b>	<b>Delivered Store Door Metropolitan Areas</b>
<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>	<b>USDA Grade A &amp; Grade A</b>
Northeast 121.00	New York 126-130
Southeast 125.50	Midwest 119-127
Midwest 116.50	<b>USDA Grade AA &amp; Grade AA</b>
South Central 129.50	Southern CA 136-147

**National Egg Products - F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis; Wholesale prices; cents per pound unless otherwise noted.**

**Liquid - non-pasteurized in trucklots, current trading for delivery within 14 days. (Range)**

<b>Whole</b>	<b>Whites</b>	<b>Yolks</b>
TFEWR	TFEWR	66.38

**Frozen - Packed in 30-pound containers; less-than-trucklot reflects a minimum volume of 25 containers. (Range)**

	<b>Trucklot</b>	<b>Less-than-Trucklot</b>
<b>Whole</b>	100.00-109.00	108.00-110.00
<b>Whites</b>	128.00-140.00	138.00-140.00

**Dried - Prices in dollars per pound; in containers; includes trucklot & less-than-trucklot volumes. (Range)**

<b>Whole</b>	<b>Yolk</b>	<b>Blends<sup>1/</sup></b>
3.85-4.35	1.55-1.75	3.20-3.25

<sup>1/</sup> Whole plus sweetener.

**Dairy Market News  
Madison, WI – (608)278-4150**

**Butter**

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities	
This Week	Last Week
1.8500 – 2.0100	2.2025 – 2.3625

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per lb	
This Week	Last Week
2.2050 – 2.5650	2.2150 – 2.5750

**Fluid Milk – November 2014**

Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars per gallon			
Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
Class I Base (3.5%)	2.0688	-0.0112	0.3319
Whole Milk	2.0025	-0.0125	0.2981
Reduced Fat Milk (2%)	1.6748	-0.0216	0.1305
Fat-free Milk	1.2765	-0.0326	-0.0715